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In early June 1952 the Kwangsi Air Defense Headquarters ordered all hsien along the Kwangsi-Vietnam border to expedite the establishment of air defense organizations. This work was to be completed before the end of June 1952. The order is summarized as follows:

- a. The air defense zone along the Kwangsi-Vietnam border extends from Tunghsing (107-58, 21-33) to Paise (106-34, 23-55).
- b. Headquarters of the zone will be at Lungchou (106-56, 22-22). The Ch'ungshan (107-33, 22-27)-Tsochiang (107- , 22- ) Military Sub-District will appoint the officers who will take charge of this headquarters.
- c. The appropriate hsien governments will establish air raid sentry posts within this air defense zone.
- d. Militia in the hsien concerned will provide personnel for air defense sentries, communications, etc. These persons will serve in rotation.
- e. A separate telephone system will be installed for communications among the various hsien in this zone and persons will be specifically assigned to man this system.
- f. Militia in the hsien concerned will be given air raid education; if necessary, regular classes may be established for the training of air defense personnel, and these classes may also include training in first aid and poison defense (sic).

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- g. Air defense sentry posts at Lungchou, Chennankuan (106-41, 21-58) and Chinghsi (106-25, 23-09) will maintain constant contact with air defense personnel of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam, and will exchange information with them on air defense and meteorology.
- h. The air defense posts in this zone are under the command of not only the Lungchou Air Defense Command but also the Kwangsi Air Defense Headquarters at Nanning.

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